

Proposed Bill No. 5184

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LCO No. 425

Referred to Committee on Labor and Public Employees

Introduced by: REP. PISCOPO, 76th Dist.

AN ACT INCREASING THE PREVAILING WAGE THRESHOLD FOR MUNICIPAL PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That subsection (g) of section 31-53 of the general statutes be
- 2 amended to provide that the state prevailing wage shall not apply to
- 3 municipal public works projects where the total cost of the work
- 4 performed is less than one million dollars and that the threshold shall
- 5 be indexed to inflation and adjusted annually as needed.

Statement of Purpose:

To increase the prevailing wage threshold for municipal construction and reconstruction projects to one million dollars and to index the threshold to inflation.